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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following items directed towards the referenced patent application:

- (1) Reply to Notice of Allowability (5 pages); and
- (2) this cover letter (1 page).

Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY TO NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

Sir:

In response to a notice of allowability mailed on 7 March 2005, please consider the following remarks pertaining to the above referenced patent application.

A Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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